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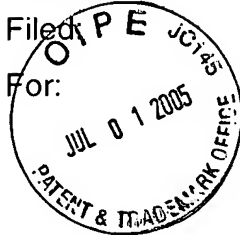
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Applicants are enclosing Form PTO-1449 (six sheets), along with a copy of each listed reference for which a copy is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2).

Foreign reference DE 3715965 A1 was cited in a Written Opinion. It is believed that US Patent 4,682,702 corresponds to DE 3715965 A1.

Based solely on the drawings, the foreign reference EP 0 475 857 A1 is pertinent because it appears to disclose a needle and a cover.

Foreign reference EP 0956879 A1 was cited in Written Opinion. It is believed that US Patent No. 6,302,866 corresponds to EP 0956879 A1.

Applicants respectfully request the Examiner's consideration of the above reference(s) and entry thereof into the record of this application.

By submitting this Statement, Applicants are attempting to fully comply with the duty of candor and good faith mandated by 37 C.F.R. §1.56. As such, this Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any of the enclosed references, or other information referred to therein, constitutes "prior art" or is otherwise "material to patentability," as that phrase is defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a).

Applicants have calculated no fee to be due in connection with the filing of this Statement. However, the Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency associated with the filing of this Statement to a deposit account, as authorized in the Transmittal accompanying this Statement.

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